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PROPOSED NO. 83-612

MOTION NO. \_\_\_\_5875

A MOTION authorizing the King County Executive to enter into and execute a mutual assistance and interlocal agreement among King County municipal corporations for the purpose of providing fire control, fire prevention, emergency medical services and other emergency support in the event of a major fire, medical or related disaster.

WHEREAS, there are many governmental entities in King County which have responsibility for the control of fire, fire prevention, emergency medical services and other emergency support within their specified political boundaries, and

WHEREAS, King County government is responsible for: (1) organizing, administering, and operating the King County Emergency Operations Center, (2) preparing disaster and emergency response plans, including the King County Emergency Services Operations Plan, (3) providing public safety services in unincorporated King County, (4) investigating fires of suspicious origin in unincorporated King County, (5) administering the emergency medical services program and providing paramedic services in certain areas of King County, and (6) providing Enhanced 911 emergency telephone service throughout King County, and

WHEREAS, there may arise from time to time major fire and medical disasters within a given jurisdiction or overlapping jurisdictions where mutual assistance between or among governmental entities in King County may be desirable or necessary, and

WHEREAS, it would be of benefit to King County to have a mutual assistance and interlocal agreement in place in the event such disasters do occur, and

WHEREAS, King County government may enter into and execute mutual assistance and interlocal agreements with other King County municipal corporations for reciprocal emergency assistance where a disaster is too great to be dealt with unassisted, and

WHEREAS, the King County Fire Chief's Association on June 15, 1983 adopted a proposed mutual assistance and interlocal agreement for the purpose of providing fire control, fire prevention, emergency medical services and other emergency support in the event of a major fire, medical or other related

disaster, which is in accord with the general requirements of the King County Emergency Services Operations Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT MOVED by the Council of King County:

- A. Pursuant to RCW 39.34.080, and RCW 38.52.070, the King County Executive is authorized to enter into and execute the proposed mutual assistance and interlocal agreement adopted by the King County Fire Chiefs Association for the purpose of providing fire control, fire prevention, emergency medical services and other emergency support in the event of a major fire, medical or related disaster.
- B. The mutual assistance and interlocal agreement shall be included as part of the King County Emergency Services Operations Plan.

PASSED this 5th day of Occumber, 1983.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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ATTEST:

Clerk of the Council